

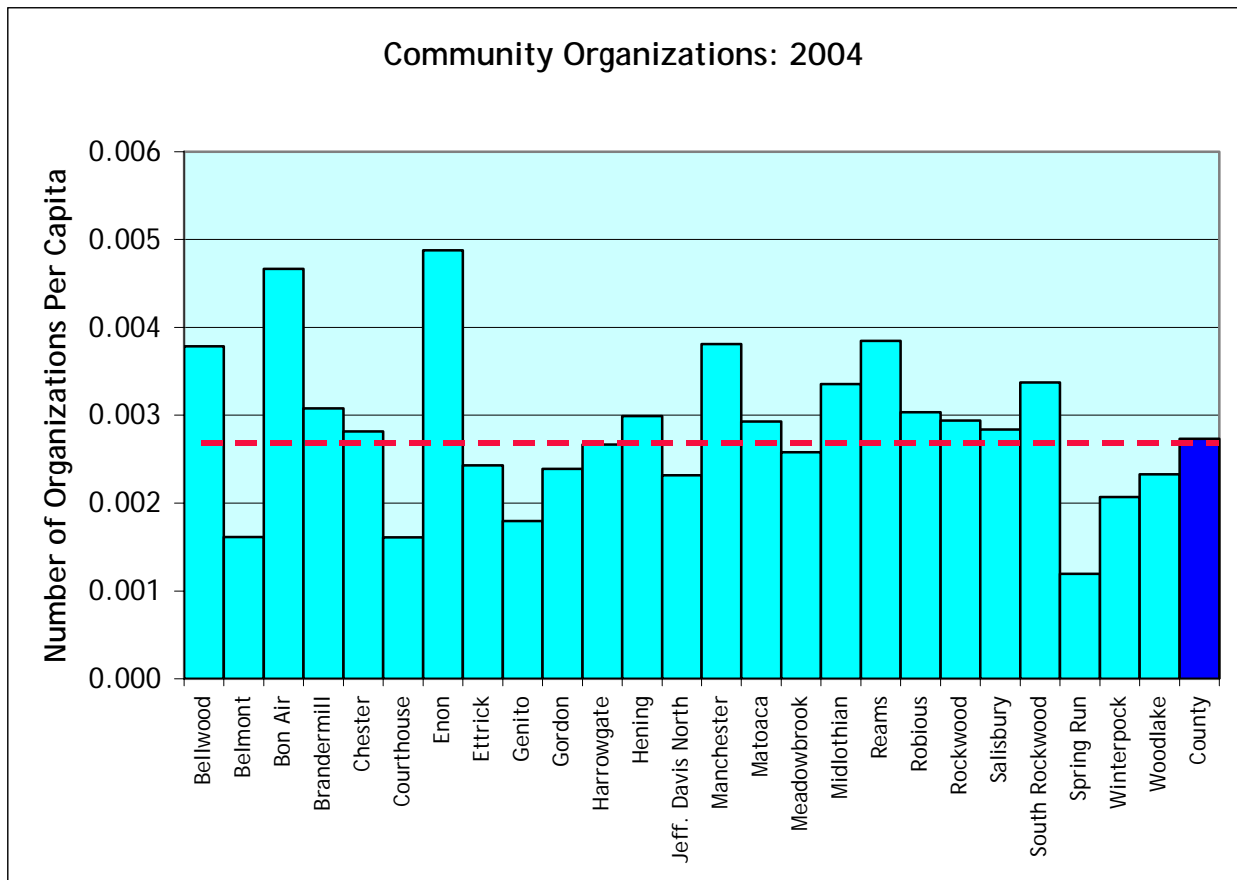
Community Life

COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

Communities are stronger when neighbors know each other and are able to respond to community problems together. In each community, religious, neighborhood and community-based organizations provide residents many opportunities to participate in the civic life of their community. About 800 organizations countywide owned improved property and/or actively participated in public activities in 2004. Bon Air and Enon had the greatest per capita number of organizations per capita. Belmont, Courthouse and Spring Run had the fewest organizations per capita.



Church in Bon Air



Accurate data about community organizations is difficult to find, especially for organizations without permanent locations, such as churches meeting in temporary facilities. This report used a variety of data sources to locate established organizations. These include neighborhood, community, and religious organizations owning property, organizations requesting notice of planning projects, neighborhood watch groups, and other organizations known to the county.

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